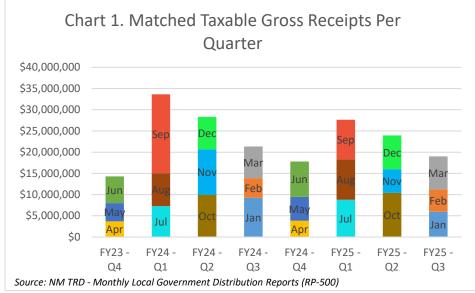


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In the third quarter of FY25, 26 out of 33 counties reported positive year-over-year (YOY) economic growth compared to Q3 FY24, with a statewide 5.9% increase in matched taxable gross receipts (MTGR). Statewide growth was observed across most industry sectors, with construction and unclassified establishments leading the way. Employment, wages, and the number of establishments also increased YOY in New Mexico in Q2 FY25.

Catron County's **MTGR** decreased by just over \$4.9M, or 20.6%, from Q2 FY25 to Q3 FY25, as seen in Chart 1. The amount reported during Q3 FY25 (\$19M) was \$4.2M lower eight-quarter than the average (\$23.2M). Chart 2 shows that unclassified establishments and retail trade were the top two industries by MTGR share. In FY25. retail trade accounted for 20%, while unclassified establishments accounted for only 3%.

Matched Taxable Gross Receipts (MTGR) provide the most accurate tax data for assessing underlying economic activity. The data collection process involves matching tax payments with reported receipts for each taxpayer by industry.

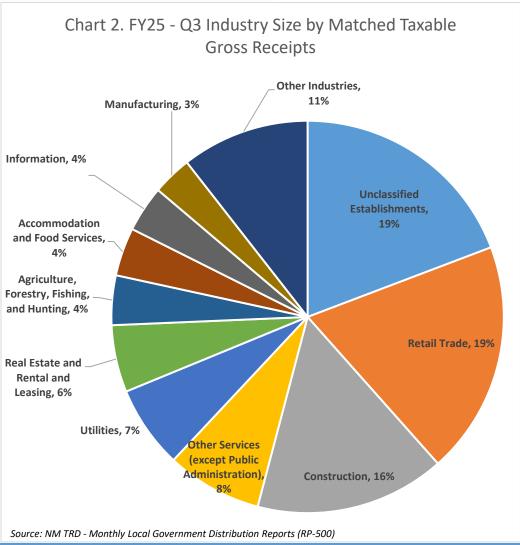
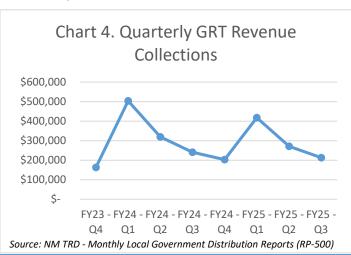


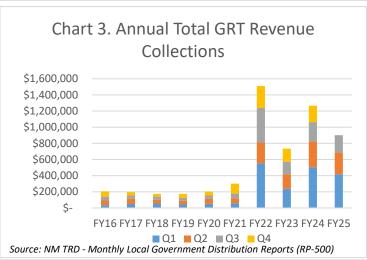


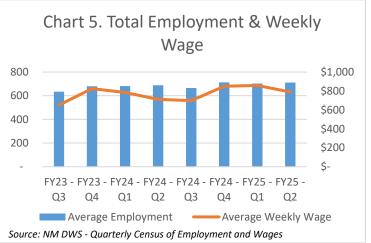
Table 1. Matched Taxable Gross Receipts by Industry											
Industries	•			FY25 - Q3	Growth Year over ye			ear Change			
Accommodation and Food Services	\$	657,470	\$	753,285	\$	95,815		15%			
Administrative/Support & Waste Management/Remediation	\$	257,715	\$	162,751	\$	(94,964)		-37%			
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, and Hunting	\$	627,256	\$	774,309	\$	147,052		23%			
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	\$	223,728	\$	419,779	\$	196,051		88%			
Construction	\$	10,280,557	\$	2,967,531	\$	(7,313,025)		-71%			
Educational Services	\$	30,886	\$	66,679	\$	35,792		116%			
Finance and Insurance	\$	18,065	\$	18,039	\$	(25)		0%			
Health Care and Social Assistance	\$	477,167	\$	334,038	\$	(143,130)		-30%			
Information	\$	783,918	\$	721,252	\$	(62,666)		-8%			
Management of Companies and Enterprises	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	N/A				
Manufacturing	\$	423,078	\$	615,775	\$	192,697		46%			
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	N/A				
Other Services (except Public Administration)	\$	598,850	\$	1,492,864	\$	894,014		149%			
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	\$	321,497	\$	421,273	\$	99,777		31%			
Public Administration	\$	15,456	\$	48,204	\$	32,747		212%			
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	\$	447,366	\$	1,048,469	\$	601,103		134%			
Retail Trade	\$	3,682,705	\$	3,639,394	\$	(43,310)		-1%			
Transportation and Warehousing	\$	79,820	\$	79,157	\$	(663)		-1%			
Unclassified Establishments	\$	566,131	\$	3,642,988	\$	3,076,856		543%			
Utilities	\$	1,265,046	\$	1,290,643	\$	25,597		2%			
Wholesale Trade	\$	554,997	\$	449,402	\$	(105,595)		-19%			
All Industries	\$	21,332,298	\$	18,998,289	\$	(2,334,009)		-11%			
Source: NM TRD - Monthly Local Government Distribution Reports (RP-500) and EDD Calculations											

Table 1 shows that 11 of the 21 defined industries reported a YOY increase in MTGR. The largest increase came from the unclassified establishments category, which posted a YOY gain of \$3.1M. The largest decline came from the construction industry, which reported a YOY decrease of \$7.3M.

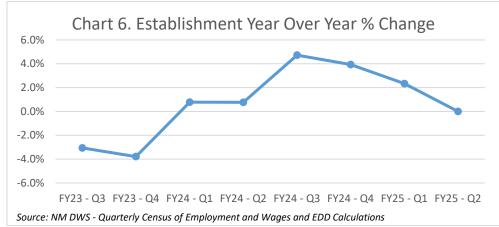
Quarterly gross receipts tax (GRT) collections during Q3 FY25 (\$213K), as seen in Chart 4, show a decrease of \$58K, or 21.5%, compared to Q2 FY25. As indicated in Chart 5, average employment grew by 3.2%, while average weekly wages declined by 10.8% from Q2 FY24 to Q2 FY25.











An **establishment**, as defined by the Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW) and referenced in Chart 6, is an economic unit, such as a farm, factory, or store, located at a single physical address and engaged in one type of economic activity.

The Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW), used in Charts 5-6 and Table 2, produces comprehensive data on the number of establishments, monthly employment, and quarterly wages for workers covered by state unemployment insurance (UI) laws and federal workers covered by the Unemployment Compensation for Federal Employees (UCFE) program. These data are aggregated to many different levels, starting at the 6-digit NAICS industry level, to higher industry levels (NAICS industry groups, sectors, and supersectors), and to higher geographic levels (MSA, state, and national).

Data are based on information reported by New Mexico employers, covering 97% of nonfarm wage and salary workers. Data are published every quarter. Considered the gold standard for its reliability of industry data, the QCEW data are the most complete universe of monthly employment and quarterly wage information by detailed industry.

Table 2. FY25 - Q2 Employment Data and Establishments by Industry											
	YOY CI		ange in		YOY change in						
	Average	Average		Αv	erage	Average		Number of	YOY Change in		
Industry	Employment Employme		ment	Weekly Wage		Weekly Wage		Establishments	Establishments		
Accommodation and Food Services	23		-14.8%	\$	235		32.0%	5	-16.7%		
Administrative/Support & Waste											
Management/Remediation	14		-6.7%	\$	700		25.4%	6	-14.3%		
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, and Hunting	16	j [-5.9%	\$	1,094		4.4%	5	-16.7%		
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	*		*		*		*	2	-33.3%		
Construction	97	'	51.6%	\$	1,020		36.4%	17	-10.5%		
Educational Services	*		*		*		*	3	0.0%		
Finance and Insurance	*	*			*	* *		2	0.0%		
Health Care and Social Assistance	130	*		\$	370	*		13	-13.3%		
Information	3	*		\$	2,629	*		4	33.3%		
Management of Companies and Enterprises	*		*		*		*	1	0.0%		
Manufacturing	*	*			*	*		4	0.0%		
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	*		*		*		*	1	0.0%		
Other Services (except Public Administration)	4		33.3%	\$	573	1	48.1%	5	25.0%		
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	7		-12.5%	\$	1,127		23.6%	8	14.3%		
Public Administration	139		-1.4%	\$	1,085		-3.7%	17	6.3%		
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	3	,	0.0%	\$	810		2.7%	3	0.0%		
Retail Trade	113		4.6%	\$	466		13.9%	18	12.5%		
Transportation and Warehousing	16	i	0.0%	\$	980		4.3%	10	11.1%		
Utilities	12		-14.3%	\$	735	I.	-8.8%	4	0.0%		
Wholesale Trade	4		33.3%	\$	2,356		-6.5%	4	33.3%		
All Industries	711		3.2%	\$	789	0 :	10.8%	132	0.0%		

Source: NM DWS - Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages and EDD Calculations *Some data may be withheld to avoid disclosure of confidential information.



Population

3,685

Source: U.S. Census Bureau - American Community Survey (ACS) 2023, 5-year estimates

